

# Order

Michigan Supreme Court  
Lansing, Michigan

May 27, 2022

Bridget M. McCormack,  
Chief Justice

163833

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Justices

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN,  
Plaintiff-Appellee,

v

SC: 163833  
COA: 355030  
Oakland CC: 2019-271266-FH

JERARD NATHANIEL WELCH,  
Defendant-Appellant.

By order of March 11, 2022, the prosecuting attorney was directed to answer the application for leave to appeal the October 14, 2021 judgment of the Court of Appeals. On order of the Court, the answer having been received, the application for leave to appeal is again considered. We direct the Clerk to schedule oral argument on the application. MCR 7.305(H)(1). The parties shall address whether the trial court abused its discretion by granting the prosecution's motion in limine precluding the defendant from introducing evidence of inclement weather, roadway conditions, or the fishtailing of another vehicle, as causes of the collision that resulted in the victim's injuries.

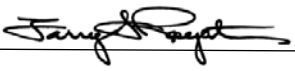
The Prosecuting Attorneys Association of Michigan and the Criminal Defense Attorneys of Michigan are invited to file briefs amicus curiae. Other persons or groups interested in the determination of the issue presented in this case may move the Court for permission to file briefs amicus curiae.



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I, Larry S. Royster, Clerk of the Michigan Supreme Court, certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the order entered at the direction of the Court.

May 27, 2022

  
Clerk